

AUTOMATED PERSONNEL IDENTIFICATION  
AND CONTROL SYSTEM (BADGE MACHINE)

By memorandum dated 9 June 1967 the Executive Director-  
Comptroller informed this Office that the Director of Central Intelligence  
had approved the procurement of a pre-production model of an electronic  
entrance control machine at the approximate price of [REDACTED]. Based 25X1A1a  
upon this approval a contract was signed with [REDACTED] in June 25X1A5a1  
1967 utilizing FY 1967 funds in the amount of [REDACTED]. Under the terms 25X1A1a  
25X1A5a1 of this contract [REDACTED] is required to deliver the pre-production model in  
March 1968.

After receipt of the pre-production model, it is planned that a  
program of operational and environmental testing will be conducted by  
this Office in conjunction with ORD/DD/S&T. It is envisioned that this  
program will require approximately three months. If, after this testing  
period, the installation of the electronic entrance control system appears  
desirable, an appropriate report will be submitted requesting approval  
of the Director to proceed with procurement of the production units. If  
approval is granted for installation of the system, 28 units at a total cost  
25X1A1a of [REDACTED] would be procured during FY 1969. This number would provide  
all of the units required for the Headquarters building. Twelve units  
would be programmed for FY 1970 at an approximate total cost of [REDACTED] 25X1A1a  
to take care of other buildings in the Headquarters area.

Recent meetings with the contractor indicate that the development of the pre-production model is proceeding on schedule and he foresees no difficulty in delivering the unit in March 1966.